HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 6010

A RESOLUTION congratulating and commending Heather Garcia on her outstanding athletic and academic achievements.

WHEREAS, On October 27, 2007 Baldwin High School senior Heather Garcia won the class 4A cross country meet in Wamego, with a time of 14 minutes and 41.55 seconds, finishing more than 13 seconds ahead of the second place finisher; and

WHEREAS, On December 2, 2006, Heather Garcia won the Amateur Athletic Union Cross Country Championship 5 kilometer race for 17- and 18-year-old girls in Orlando, Florida, with a time of 17 minutes and 54 seconds, finishing 22 seconds ahead of the second place finisher, thus adding a National Title to her list of accolades; and

WHEREAS, Along with being a two-time 4A cross country state champion, Heather Garcia also won four regional cross country titles, three Frontier League cross country titles and won a total of 25 out of 36 cross country events; and

WHEREAS, Heather Garcia also excels in track, where at the 2007 state track meet she won the 3,200 meter event, breaking the Baldwin High School record previously set by her with a time of 10 minutes and 49.4 seconds and went on to win the 1,600 meter event and place second in the 800 meter event; and

WHEREAS, Heather Garcia also excels in basketball, where she averaged 3.71 steals per game and was named honorable mention to the 2007 Lawrence Journal-World All-Area basketball team, as well as being named to the 2007 and 2008 Wellsville Top Gun All-Tournament Team; and

WHEREAS, Heather Garcia is an honor student at Baldwin High School where she has a cumulative 3.92 grade point average and has accepted a scholarship to run both cross country and track at Boston College: Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Kansas: That we congratulate and commend Heather Garcia for her outstanding athletic and academic achievements at Baldwin High School.

House Resolution No. 6010 was sponsored by Representative Thomas Holland.

I hereby certify that the above RESOLUTION originated in the HOUSE, and was adopted by that body

Speaker of the House.

Chief Clerk of the House.